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CRUISER GOES ASHORE.

Boston, May 17.—The cruiser San Francisco, now in service as a mine layer, chugged a shoal in Nantucket Sound during a gale of wind, fog and heavy rain, early this morning, and was aground for several hours. She later floated herself and anchored.

A whale boat containing eight of the San Francisco's crew was reported missing. They are reported to have been safely on board the Great Round Shoal lightship.

TEXANS SING PRAISES OF LONE STAR STATE

Mayors of Fort Worth and Dallas Attend Reunion at Ebbitt—Senator Culberson Speaks.

A reunion of Texans in Washington, the first of its kind in several years, was staged at the New Ebbitt Hotel last night.

In addition to the Texans in the House of Representatives and the Senate, there were present the Attorney General, the Postmaster General, the Second Assistant Postmaster General, Indian Commissioner Cato Sells and a visiting delegation of twelve Texans, including the mayor of Fort Worth, the mayor of Dallas, John Wroe, John Moore, James F. Garland, William Cassin and Nathaniel M. Washburn, president and vice president, respectively, of the Texas Bi-Centennial and Pan-American Exposition to be held in San Antonio in 1918 to commemorate the 20th anniversary of the founding of that city.

A feature of the gathering was a valedictory speech by Senator Culberson.

Others who made brief speeches were: Senator Sheppard, Representative Stedden, Garner, Buchanan, Davis, Callaway, Burgess, Rayburn, Young, Stephens, Mayor Lindley, of Dallas, Mayor Tynan, of Fort Worth, Selig Deutschman, William Cassin and Nathaniel M. Washburn, of San Antonio.



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CLAYTON ENTERS LOCAL PRIMARY

Will Run for Democratic National Committeeman if Election Rules Are Changed.

WANTS A CLEAN PRIMARY

Tells Central Committee D. C. Heads Should Appoint Judges and Clerks—Deposits Check.

William McK. Clayton last evening told members of the Democratic central committee that he would enter the race for national committeeman from the District of Columbia, if the incumbent, against John F. Costello, the incumbent, if the central committee would arrange the regulations governing the primaries to suit Mr. Clayton.

He asks that the District Commissioners appoint the judges and clerks at the booths and a returning board; that notaries public be placed at all the voting places on May 31 to swear challenged voters; that this returning board certify to the men elected and that the central committee then issue the certificate of election; and that the Chamber of Commerce and Board of Trade be asked to name five members from each of those organizations to serve as watchers at the polls.

The committee told him his request would be "considered" and accepted his check for \$300, as required of all the candidates for national committeeman. The committee then issued the list of candidates for the central committee for delegates to the convention and for national committeeman. The call issued a few days ago stipulated they were to be closed last night. It was said that the list of candidates for delegates is incomplete.

Secretary John B. Colpoys asserted that the committee, of which Robert E. Mattingly is chairman, had been given authority to fill in the list of candidates for delegates, and that several men had signified their intention to become candidates, but had not decided finally. The lists will be completed within a day or so and then announced.

James S. Eashy-Smith was named a member of the central committee from the first district, in place of Fulton R. Gordon, who has resigned, and George Emmott was chosen to fill a vacancy that has always been open from the fourth district.

Thomas Moore, of Anacostia, bitterly arraigned the committee for taxing each candidate for the central committee for those for delegates \$300, and those for national committeeman \$500. He declared that a member of the party in the District did not know who was putting up the money for the primaries, and that these stipulated taxations were far in excess of what was necessary.

WAR PICTURES VIEWED BY DIPLOMATIC CORPS

Rear Admiral Chester to Speak Tonight at Showing of "Britain Prepared in Belasco."

Distinguished members of the diplomatic corps were among the prominent persons who yesterday attended the war pictures, entitled "Britain Prepared," now being shown at the Belasco Theater. At the performance tonight Rear Admiral Chester will preside and speak briefly.

The pictures tell the story of what a great nation must do to prepare itself for war.

Among the distinguished persons in the audience last night were: The French Ambassador, Count de Bessieres, the Russian Ambassador, Count Benckendorff, the Japanese Ambassador, the Viscountess Chinda, the British Ambassador and Lady Spring-Rice, the Spanish Ambassador and Mme. Riano, the Argentine Ambassador and Mme. Noan, the Portuguese Minister, the Swiss Minister and Mme. Ritter, the Norwegian Minister and Mme. Berland, the Netherlands Minister, the Siamese Minister and Lady Karavongse, the Persian Minister, the Bulgarian Minister and Mme. Panaretto, the Chinese Minister and Mrs. Koo, the Hawaiian Minister and Mme. Menon, the Minister of Salvador and Mme. Zalivar.

SMALL HOOKS IN BEEF SENT FROM U. S. TO ITALY

(By the Sun News Service.) Rome, via London, May 17.—Orders have been issued by the Italian government not to eat American frozen beef and canned meat unless it is shredded. Recent consignments to Italy from Chicago were found to contain small hooks and pins. It is suspected they were purposely hidden in the frozen beef and pork meat with the object of disabling the soldiers, causing an ulceration of the intestines.

An investigation has been ordered with a view to ascertaining the responsibility of the packers who, it is feared, have Austrians and German workers in their employ.

Would Open Mount Vernon Sundays.

Senator Phelan, of California, yesterday introduced in the Senate a resolution providing for the opening of the historic home of Gen. Washington at Mt. Vernon to visitors on Sunday. The resolution was referred to the committee on library.

Aeroplane Shed Bombaraded.

Rome, May 17.—It is officially announced that on Tuesday Italian hydroplanes bombed the aeroplane shed near Trieste, setting it on fire.

WASHINGTONIANS DONNING THEIR SUMMER APPAREL

These beautiful May days are bringing out the glad new clothes of the spring and summer. Everywhere you go you meet well dressed men and women garbed in the newest and most fashionable attire. One is particularly impressed with the number of men one sees in tailored-to-measure clothes.

More than half of the well dressed young fellows on F street have that immaculate well-groomed appearance which characterizes the man who wears clothes made to his individual requirements. Mr. Stein, the young men's tailor at Eighth and F streets, says he has never enjoyed such a busy season and ascribes it to the fact that the men are waking up to the fact that they must wear tailored-to-measure clothes to keep in the swim. We are having quite a big call for our new model, the Pinch-Back-Belt—this is the coat of the hour.

CARMEN WOULD PARLEY; CALL STRIKE MISTAKE

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The present situation was brought about. The committee held a lengthy conference with W. B. Emmert, general manager of the company, yesterday afternoon, and, according to Chairman Angelo, were unable to induce him to resume arbitration.

It is understood that Mr. Emmert took the position that since the men have been denounced by the American Federation of Labor and the national association of street railway men, they were no longer a recognized organized body.

It was learned last night that the failure of yesterday afternoon, probably will not deter the men from renewing their efforts to have arbitration resumed during the next few days. Mr. Angelo is the only member of the carmen's committee who is not a former employee of the company. He is a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. It was stated. Mr. Angelo explained that he was acting only as an individual, against John F. Costello, the incumbent, if the central committee would arrange the regulations governing the primaries to suit Mr. Clayton.

Mr. Angelo explained to The Herald last night that the whole tangle existing now exists was caused by a misunderstanding in the offices of the American Federation of Labor last Friday afternoon.

Officials in Conference. According to Mr. Angelo and the other members of the committee, the officials of the company were in conference with Samuel Gompers, Grant Hamilton, of the American Federation of Labor, and Rezin Orr, organizer.

Mr. Angelo said that like three, acting for the men, knew that the men had agreed to declare a second strike at 4 o'clock that afternoon if no agreement had been reached by that time. When the committee was presenting the employees arrived at the offices and received no information as to how the conference was progressing, the men, waiting in Georgetown, grew impatient and declared the strike.

It is not unlikely that Representative C. C. Carlin, of Virginia, who did much to start the arbitration proceeding after the first strike, will be called upon today to bring the men and the company together again.

The company operated a regular schedule of one car every hour to Great Falls and one every three hours to Blument. All cars were stopped after dark, however, as a precaution, the company stated, against clashes between strikers and strike-breakers. Each car that left Georgetown carried three or four special deputies, brought here by the company.

Declaring the restraining order issued by Justice McCoy on Monday enjoining striking employees of the Old Dominion Railway from interfering with the operation of the road was issued in violation of the Clayton act, Crandal Mackey, counsel for the strikers, yesterday filed a petition in District Supreme Court for the dissolution of the injunction.

The petition of the strikers declares the petition of the Old Dominion officials in applying for the injunction is so indefinite as to acts, times, and circumstances of alleged offenses and persons as to present no ground for equitable relief, that the bill presents no ground for equitable relief, and no ground for the issuance of a restraining order; that the restraining order was issued without previous notice to the defendants and that the petition of the railway officials was presented without being supported by affidavits. Attorney Mackey sums up his petition by saying the restraining order of Justice McCoy was issued in violation of the Clayton act of October 3, 1914, because none of the reasons he mentions for dissolution were under the cognizance of the court.

Mr. Mackey declared last night five of the strikers who filed affidavits this morning swearing that charges of disorder and violence made by the railway officials are untrue.

SUMMER GARDEN REOPENS.

Bernhard Endres Welcomes Guests and Gives Ladies Souvenir.

The attractive summer garden of the Cafe Bernhard, New York avenue and Eleventh street northwest, was formally opened for the season last evening, when Bernhard Endres, former steward of the National Press Club, welcomed scores of patrons, old and new. New decorations added to the attractiveness of this popular resort for after-dinner suppers, parties and family groups with a taste for music with their refreshments.

A special orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Arthur S. Whitcomb, provided a program of classical and popular numbers last evening, and the ladies present were presented with beautiful souvenir bouquets.

SAYS WEST IS FOR T. R.

Chicago, May 17.—Sentiment for Colonel Roosevelt is sweeping all else before it in the Rocky Mountain region, is the message that was brought to Progressive convention headquarters today by Clarence Phelps Dodge, of Colorado Springs, Colorado State chairman of the Progressive party.

Neither Hughes, Root, Cummins, nor any of the favorite sons, will satisfy the voters of the West, according to Mr. Dodge. The call for Roosevelt is the cry of the West, as well as Republicans and Progressives, he says.

DRINK HOT WATER BEFORE BREAKFAST

Says You Really Feel Clean, Sweet and Fresh Inside, and Are Seldom Ill.

If you are accustomed to wake up with a coated tongue, foul breath or a dull, dizzy headache; or if your meals sour and turn into gas and acids, you have a real surprise awaiting you.

Tomorrow morning, immediately upon arising, drink a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of Limestone phosphate in it.

This is intended to first neutralize and then wash out the food acids, liver, kidneys, and thirty feet of intestines all the indigestible waste, poisons, sour bile and toxins, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal.

Those subject to sick headaches, backache, bilious attacks, constipation or any form of stomach trouble, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, and begin enjoying this morning inside-bath. It is said that men and women who try this become enthusiastic and keep it up daily. It is a splendid health measure for it is more important to keep clean inside than on the outside, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing disease, while the bowel pores do.

At the end of the inside is not new, as millions of people practice it. Just as hot water and soap cleanse, purify and freshen the skin, so hot water and a teaspoonful of Limestone phosphate act upon the internal organs, cleansing, purifying, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal.

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WILL FIGHT FOR RETIREMENT PLAN

Civil Service Association to Seek Planks in Republican and Democratic Platforms.

MEETING OPENS TODAY

Committees of Government Employees Will Be Sent to Chicago and St. Louis Gatherings.

The incorporation of planks which are favorable to the proposed retirement fund for the benefit of government employees in the platforms of the Republican and Democratic parties will be discussed at the seventeenth annual convention of the United States Civil Service Retirement Association, which opens at the Ebbitt House this morning. Announcement was made yesterday that committees of government employees will be sent to the Chicago and St. Louis conventions to seek to influence the party delegates in favor of the retirement fund.

This announcement and another that the executive committee of the association would bring the question of the association's affiliation with the American Federation of Labor before the convention aroused the keenest interest among government employees in the two days' conference. The organization. The executive committee intended the affiliation plan at its meeting last night.

Labor Federation Invoked.

A strong plea in favor of affiliation was made by Dr. Llewellyn Jordan, chief of the bond division in the Treasury and secretary of the retirement association. He declared the federation of Labor would bring a powerful influence to bear upon Congress for the passage of retirement measures pending before House committees. The association has 18,000 members.

A meeting will be conducted tonight at Grand Army Hall, 142 Pennsylvania avenue, in the interest of retirement fund legislation. Among the speakers who have been invited are Senator Thomas Sterling and Representatives William S. Bennett, Walter M. Chandler, Edward Keating and Peter F. Tague.

Daniel Goldschmidt, president of the association, will deliver his annual address at the opening session today. The association tomorrow night will give a banquet at the Ebbitt, where 250 plates will be laid. Among the speakers will be Senator Pomeroy.

SENATE ASKED TO AID AMERICANS IN IRELAND

Majority Leader Kern Asks Probe of Status of U. S. Citizens Involved in Outbreak.

Senator Kern majority leader of the Senate, yesterday introduced a resolution in the Senate yesterday directing the Secretary of State to ascertain the status of the Americans in the court-martial area of Ireland.

Senator Kern asked immediate consideration for the resolution, but Senator Stone, of the Foreign Relations Committee, asked that the matter go to the Foreign Relations Committee, and it was so referred.

Gen. Marchand Not Killed.

London, May 17.—The Paris correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company who announced yesterday that Gen. Marchand of the French army had been killed at the front, reported today that his information was incorrect.

A DOZEN MEN AND WOMEN PUT UP \$6,000 AND RECEIVE \$100,000 IN CASH DIVIDENDS IN FOUR YEARS

Some Washington People Treble Their Money in Six Months When Given an "Inside Opportunity" with a Successful Mining Man.

AN UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY OFFERED AT THIS TIME.

Yes, this is SOME NEW TALK, but it may interest you. If you have ever HEARD of any one who ever LOST any more in MINING venture, YOU'RE the one I'd like to have READ THESE LINES, whether YOU ever invested in mining or not, or whether you ever LOST or WON, I am sure you will agree with me when I say that the person who MAKES the BIGGEST and the SAFEST and the SUREST money in mining, is the one who gets A CHANCE TO DEVELOP THE MONEY TO DEVELOP what good responsible mining engineers say are MERITORIOUS "PROSPECTS." What YOU want to get is an INTEREST in the "PROSPECT." What YOU want to DO is to be IN at the very BEGINNING. THAT'S what you may call a REAL OPPORTUNITY.

You have undoubtedly READ and HEARD the statement "This is an opportunity of a lifetime" so many times that it makes you sick whenever you SEE it in print. But, candidly now, did you EVER have an opportunity to GET IN RIGHT with some of the BIG MEN in the mining business?

How would you like to be on the INSIDE with such men as the following named:

GEORGE W. LONG and JAMES L. McIVER, the two men who are credited with having opened up \$100,000 worth of gold ore in the United Eastern mine at Oatman, Arizona, within the last year; the company's stock advancing from 25 cents per share to over \$4.00 per share.

M. J. MONETTE, banker of Los Angeles, but known the world over as one of the partners of the sensational Hayes-Monette Lease in Goldfield, which produced some \$3,500,000 in six months' time.

JOHN A. HASSELL, an eminent consulting mining engineer of Nevada.

CHARLES S. SPRAGUE, president, and J. K. TURNER, consulting engineer of the Jumbo Extension Mining Co. of Goldfield, which has paid over \$493,000 in dividends.

JAMES P. LOFTUS, formerly of Goldfield, who started there with a \$6,000 fund provided by a few personal friends, and who returned over \$100,000 in cash dividends within four years; who was also one of the original purchasers and directed the development of the Round Mountain Mining Co., which has produced over \$2,500,000.

Now THESE are men who KNOW the mining business and have made successes, and RIGHT HERE is YOUR OPPORTUNITY. SEE IT IF YOU CAN.

Mr. James P. Loftus, mentioned above, is my personal friend. I have known him for 25 years. I was ONE of his friends who put UP PART of that \$6,000 fund with which he started in the Goldfield camp, and I received MY SHARE of the \$100,000 cash dividends. I also interested a few Washington people WITH HIM and he TREBLED our money in SIX MONTHS. I also had THREE OTHER opportunities with him, but did not have the money to take advantage of the FIRST, however, made a PROFIT OF OVER 900% and SECOND OF OVER 1,600% both within TWO YEARS. THE THIRD gave a PROFIT OF 300% IN TEN MONTHS.

Mr. Loftus is now associated with ALL the men I have mentioned above, in the Oatman, Arizona, mining camp, which THESE mining men, and MANY OTHER prominent ones, BELIEVE will PROVE to be the GREATEST mining camp in this country. THAT is why THEY are getting in there EARLY.

In a letter I recently received from Mr. Loftus he says:

"Just keep in mind that there is a great big gold mining boom shaping up in our midst; that I am now right at the very heart of things and in touch with its greatest possibilities. So you see the more money I have the more I can do. It is the great intaking force, and A DOLLAR NOW EMPLOYED IN THE RIGHT WAY IS WORTH THOUSANDS EMPLOYED LATER."

Now I am getting up a \$10,000 fund for Mr. Loftus to use just as he used the \$6,000 fund in the Goldfield camp when he made us such wonderful profits. If you have \$100 to \$500 or more that you can spare, and would like to look into this proposition, just GIVE ME A CHANCE TO SHOW YOU what I believe is an opportunity that SELDOM COMES to many people and to MOST people NEVER. ALL I WISH is a chance to SHOW YOU his RECORD and the OPPORTUNITY offered. If it doesn't APPEAL to your POCKETBOOK, I'll NOT EXPECT A CENT of your MONEY. The best of bank and business references furnished.

Come and SEE ME or let ME come and SEE YOU. Make an APPOINTMENT with ME for an INTERVIEW, either DAY or EVENING. PART of this FUND has ALREADY been raised, so DON'T WAIT until it is TOO LATE.

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Lightly-Clad Fairies Dance In Cold Grass By Moonlight

Evening Breezes Blow Diaphanous Draperies and Dew Drops Kiss Dainty Bare Legs, but Girls of Rhythmic Class, Undaunted, Give Masque.

Fairies, very lightly clad, revealed on the lawn of the Col. Henry F. Blount estate last night when the Florence Fleming Noyes School of Rhythmic Expression held its commencement masque. And it was cold, very cold for lightly clad bodies and bare legs. But the pretty young girls did not mind even the dew drops that fell upon them; they danced with abandon, in the dim light of the full moon. The audience of several hundred persons was delighted.

Not even rain, old rain, would stop the frolic of these nymphs. The annual festivities of the band were originally planned for the night before. Although the clouds hung low Tuesday night, about a hundred people came to see the performance of the band, and even when the rain poured down the dancers persisted and danced half their program. Thunder and lightning then scared the audience away, although not the fairies, and the masque was postponed until last night.

Last night the grass was wet to bare feet, the wind cut through the draperies, but the dancers danced on. Jack Frost peeped over one of the cedar trees and watched with great interest, and when he dared not come near, he sent the wind, and the audience shivered, but the fairies waved themselves across the lawn in defiance to his threat.

Oh, no, it's not old at all, said Mrs. Gienna Smith, Tinn, principal of the school as the fairies were quickly changing filmy ethereal drapery for more earthly garments. The lights of lanterns flashed brightly through the evergreen walls of the open-air dressing rooms just to one side of the open-air stage. "Of course the skin may be chilly, but inside we are warm."

Among those who took part were Misses Frances Fuller, Mildred Anderson, Elizabeth Kingsbury, Mary Howey, Louise Morris, Elizabeth Burt, Gladys Patten, Dorothy Keen, Felipa and Ruth McKee, Reine Serrin, Gladys Crump, Francis Calloway, Florence Louise Lyon, and Roberta Tull. Miss Mary Lord Andrews wrote and recited the prologue of the masque.